

REPORT

OF

THE MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT

WITH

The Accounts of the Treasurer,

OF

THE NORFOLK LUNATIC ASYLUM

FOR THE YEAR 1873.

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NORFOLK LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Medical Superintendent's Annual Report,

FOR THE YEAR, 1873.

TO THE COMMITTEE OF VISITORS.

I have again the pleasure of laying before you my Annual Report with the Statistics of our Asylum. On December 31st, 1872, the total number of inmates was 451, of whom 185 were men and 266 women. In the course of the year 45 men and 71 women were admitted as new cases, and 8 men and 15 women were re-admitted, making the number admitted for the 12 months 139; 53 of these being men and 86 women. The number of patients under treatment during the year was 590, of whom 238 were men and 352 women; 34 men were discharged during the year, 29 of them as cured, 4 relieved and 1 not improved. In the same period 61 women were discharged, of whom 43 were cured, 1 was relieved and 17 were transferred, un-improved, to other Asylums; of these 17, 15 were sent temporarily to the Northampton General Asylum; 23 men and 25 women were removed by death, making with the 95 discharged, a total of 143, who left us in the course of the year; and of these 57 were men and 86 women, leaving on our books at the year's end, 447 patients, 181 on the male and 266 on the female side of the house. The number admitted was above the average and exceeded by 18 that of the preceding year, whereas the number in the Asylum at the close of this year showed a decrease of 4 as compared with 1872; and this decrease was on the mens' side. The average daily number resident in the Asylum, was 186 for the men and 277 for the women; the maximum being 192 men and 287 women and the minimum, 177 men and 265 women.

The per centage of recoveries was highly satisfactory being 51.8 of those admitted, or 54.7 per cent. of the men and 50 of the women. Our deaths were above the average, being 10.36 per cent. of our average daily number; in 20 cases death, was due to disease of the brain and nervous system, in 5 to exhaustion, the result of the excitement attendant on their mental state; in 8 to Senile degeneration and in 6 to Phthisis pulmonlis. In 27 cases a permission to make post-mortem examination was granted; and I hope that before long, it will be left to the discretion of the Superintendent, to make one in every case in which he deems it desirable. The sanitary condition of the Asylum for the 12 months has been excellent, notwithstanding, the large number of aged, infirm, inmates with whom we are burdened, and who have been gradually accumulating for many years; the Asylum having been first opened in the year 1814. It is also gratifying to be able to state, that we have been absolutely free from all epidemic and endemic diseases and that no inquest has been held during the year. Two deaths arose from suffocation, in patients who were seized with epileptic convulsions, during the absence of the attendant on his rounds. The night attendants visit all epileptics every hour, or oftener; if any seizures are anticipated, and they sit within hearing distance of most of the epileptic patients; it is quite clear, however, that such measures are inadequate to prevent the accidents referred to and therefore the Commissioners in Lunacy recommend, that in future, there shall be special night wards, for the Suicidal and Epileptic; under the constant supervision of an attendant, whose whole time and energies shall be devoted to them, in each department.

Our female wards were, for several months, so crowded, that in July it was found necessary to send 15 of the Chronic cases to Northampton Asylum, whilst our new Ward was being built for their reception; the building operations were commenced in July and have progressed almost uninterruptedly, owing to the very favourable state of the weather. Whilst on this subject, I may remark that our female exceed our male patients by 100, an excess only equalled, by the Devon Asylum; and far above that normal preponderance of the female element, common to all Asylums.

The proportion of pauper insane, to population for the County of Norfolk, is for males 2.23, for females, 2.94 per 1000 ; and for both sexes 2.58.

I am happy to say, that our more excitable patients in the wards adjoining those, in course of erection, seem not to have been disturbed by the building operations. Two mess-rooms are in course of construction, one for the male and the other for the female attendants, and our laundry and kitchen departments are undergoing an extension commensurate with our increased accommodation for patients.

I have but three surgical cases of any moment to record, viz:—one of fractured rib, another fracture of the fibula and a third of dislocation of the shoulder.

As usual there have been a few escapes, but in every case, (with one exception) the runaway was captured in the course of 2 or 3 days ; the exception being that of J. W. a harmless but cunning lunatic, who ran off whilst working on the farm and was never found; although no time was lost, and no efforts were spared to discover his whereabouts; he was discharged, at the expiration of 14 days from the date of his escape, in accordance with the section of the Act.

One woman was delivered in September last, she is the subject of incurable paralysis and remains in the Asylum.

Considerable additions have been made to our library, the books are distributed by the Chaplain once a week and a list of them is suspended in each ward to encourage the patients to ask for them, this is entirely a fresh arrangement since the appointment of our present Chaplain and I find it beneficial. Death has deprived us of 2 valuable servants ; a female attendant who had been with us six years and our butcher and cellar-man, who had served us for 27 years.

Photographs are now taken of every patient, both on admission and departure and are attached to the reports in the case-book, together with the weight of each inmate and other facts of interest and importance in a clinical and scientific aspect.

In the matter of Therapeusis I may mention our trial of the Veratrum Viride, (an antiphlogistic much employed in America) in cases of acute and chronic mania ; the results prove it to be of great efficacy, especially in the latter disease, in lowering the pulse and temperature ; without producing any untoward or unpleasant symptoms. Faradization was employed in some cases of dementia, with favourable results.

Amusements of the same kind and variety as heretofore have been continued, and the "Johnson" fund has enabled us to give many patients the benefit of entertainments at Norwich and trips to the sea-side, &c., all of which have been * thoroughly appreciated by them.

Dr. Taynton, who had for 5 years been attached to the Asylum, in the capacity of Assistant Medical Officer, relinquished his appointment in the early part of the year, to enter upon General Practice, carrying away with him the esteem and good wishes of us all. He has been succeeded by Dr. Shaw, in whom I have every reason to believe I possess a most willing and very able coadjutor.

WILLIAM C. HILLS, M.D.,
Medical Superintendent.

The Commissioners in Lunacy inspected the Asylum in March last, and made the following report.

NORFOLK COUNTY ASYLUM,

24TH MARCH, 1873.

We have inspected this Asylum in all its departments, and personally examined every patient except one of each sex who are away on leave. The numbers on the book to day are 184 Men and 279 Women, leaving ten vacant beds in the male division, but being six in excess of the proper accommodation on the Womens' side. It should be stated however that three of these women are recovered, and will be recommended for discharge to the Committee at the Meeting to-morrow.

We find that the average annual increase of numbers during the past ten years, has been $2\frac{1}{2}$ on the Male and $7\frac{1}{2}$ on the female side, the proportionate increase amongst the Men having been still, smaller in the last five years. It is calculated therefore that for four or five years there will be sufficient accommodation on the male side to meet the wants of the County, but that in order to provide for female patients for a similar period, it is absolutely necessary to build for 50 additional patients of the female sex. This proposition has already been submitted to our Board by the direction of the Committee of Visitors, and we have this day taken the subject into consideration, and inspected the site upon which it is proposed to erect a new ward for the women, but for which no plans have yet been prepared.

It is needless on this occasion to point out to the Committee that the number of patients now accumulated on this side is far in excess of what we consider desirable, as we have reason to believe that they fully concur with us in opinion but at the same time it is urged that the proposed addition is intended for females only, for whom additional land would not be needed as a means of employment; and that as regards airing court, space sufficient will be obtained by the addition of one acre of Garden ground which the Committee have purchased, and which adjoins the womens airing courts.

It is also stated to us that the Visitors admit that after the present increase of numbers no further additions on this side will be possible and that any future provision to meet the wants of the County must be made elsewhere.

After much consideration, and with some reluctance we have decided to advise our Board that they may properly recommend the proposal for the Secretary of State's sanction, subject of course to the plans for enlargement being satisfactory, and a sufficient quantity of the garden ground being appropriated for airing courts.

We have visited the site proposed to be built upon, and made some suggestions to Dr. Hills on the subject.

There is a further proposition to make some additional dormitory accommodation at the Laundry block, where the bedrooms are overcrowded, and to this we see no objection provided the new room is only used to reduce the crowding, and not for the reception of an increased number of patients.

We have great pleasure in reporting very favourably as to the condition of the Asylum and its inmates. The wards were throughout clean, cheerful, and extremely well furnished and the patients quiet and orderly, and personally in a very satisfactory state. There was no one in seclusion but one woman wore a leather muffle glove for surgical reasons. As regards restraint and seclusion, we find only one instance of each recorded since the last visit. We were present at the dinner in the hall, where 114 men, and 165 women, were assembled and behaved with entire propriety.

The food was good and abundant and the mode of serving excellent.

All arrangements for recreation both out of doors and by means of association in the hall, are the same as before reported, and about the same proportion of both sexes are usefully employed.

There is the usual somewhat large proportion of old paralytic cases, especially in the male division, but the general health is good, and we only found 2 Men and 10 Women in bed. Ten of the former, and 28 of the latter were last week under medical treatment. No disorder of an epidemic character has prevailed since the last visit in August 1872, but 11 patients of each sex have died from the following causes, viz:—

Phthisis	6	Chronic disease of brain	4
General Paralysis	5	Disease of Heart	2
Senile decay	4	Maniacal exhaustion	1

There were post mortem examinations in 9 cases, but no inquest was held.

The admissions during the last seven months have amounted to 24 in the male, and 41 in the female division; and 9 men and 27 women, have been discharged in the same period, all but two being recovered.

There are walking parties beyond the Asylum precincts, two or three times a week, averaging about 30 of each sex. Balls once a fortnight, attended by 60 men and 120 women & readings by the the Chaplain and Concerts at which nearly the same numbers are present. The Chapel attendance comprises 140 Men and 204 Women on Sundays and 86men and 176 women on week days.

No structural alterations have been made lately, beyond the substitution of wood for stone floors in four of the smaller dormitories, and additions to the Water Closet seats, but a great deal has been done and is in progress in the way of painting, colouring, and whitewashing, and there have been considerable addition to the means for personal washing.

It is proposed to convert several single rooms into sculleries which are much needed in some of the wards.

We have signed and examined the various Registers, which are properly entered up, and have made all the statutory enquiries. We have derived much satisfaction from our visit, and it will be seen from the above report that the condition of the Asylum continues to reflect much credit upon the management of the Medical Superintendent.

Signed,

W. G. CAMPBELL,	}	Commissioners in Lunacy.
ROBERT NAIRNE,		

TABLE I.

Showing the Admissions, Re-Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths, during the Year 1873.

						Male.	Female	Total.
In the Asylum, 31st December, 1872						185	266	451
						Male.	Female	Total.
Admitted for the first time during the year ...						45	71	116
Re-Admitted during the year						8	15	23
Total under care during the year						238	352	590
Discharged or Removed.						Male.	Female	Total.
Recovered						29	43	72
Relieved						4	1	5
Not Improved						1	17	18
Died						23	25	48
Total Discharged and Died during the year						57	86	143
Remaining in the Asylum, Dec. 31st, 1873						181	266	447
(Inclusive of absent on trial, Males.—Females)						1	3	4
Average numbers resident during the year... ..						186	277	463

TABLE II.

Shewing the Admissions, Re-Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths, from 1850, to the present date, December 31st, 1873.

On 31st Dec., 1850, from which date this table is taken, there were remaining 109 men and 130 women.					Male.	Female	Total.
					Male	Female	Total.
Persons admitted for the first time during the period of 23 years					898	1143	2041
Re-Admissions... ..					230	287	517
Total of Cases Admitted					1128	1430	2558
Discharged or Removed.					Male.	Female	Total.
Recovered					487	665	1152
Relieved					66	86	152
Not Improved					56	74	130
Died					447	469	916
Total Discharged and Died during the 23 years					...	...	...
Remaining, December 31st, 1873					...	...	...
Average numbers resident during 22 years					...	...	...
					1056	1294	2350
					181	266	447
					161	205	366

TABLE III.

SHOWING THE ADMISSIONS, DISCHARGES AND DEATHS, WITH THE MEAN ANNUAL MORTALITY AND PROPORTION OF RECOVERIES PER CENT. OF THE ADMISSIONS FOR EACH YEAR, SINCE 1852.

Years.	Discharged.						Remaining 31st, Dec., in each year.			Average No. Resident.			Per Centage of Recoveries on Admissions.			Per Centage of Deaths on Average Nos. Resident.					
	Removed.			Relieved.			Not Improved.			Died.			Total.			Total.			Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1850																					
1851	33	53	86	10	13	23	1	2	3	10	13	23	109	130	239	120	154	274	120	140	260
1852	40	44	84	6	11	17	1	9	9	14	18	32	139	159	298	130	153	283	130	153	283
1853	36	47	83	14	22	36	2	1	3	19	17	36	136	163	299	139	165	304	139	165	304
1854	34	48	82	11	27	38	7	1	2	14	14	28	137	163	500	139	165	304	139	165	304
1855	28	48	76	12	23	35	4	3	4	12	20	32	136	157	293	135	161	296	135	161	296
1856	41	44	85	20	19	39	1	1	...	18	19	37	138	162	300	141	157	298	141	157	298
1857	40	61	101	29	24	53	6	1	2	15	14	29	127	176	303	134	165	299	134	165	299
1858	56	56	112	21	24	45	6	5	1	16	28	44	139	175	314	135	177	312	135	177	312
1859	55	55	110	27	20	47	8	7	1	19	23	42	139	180	319	133	179	312	133	179	312
1860	54	69	123	16	39	55	4	2	...	21	20	41	152	188	340	144	189	333	144	189	333
1861	81	68	149	28	33	61	...	6	5	24	21	45	176	196	372	172	196	368	172	196	368
1862	44	57	101	14	21	35	...	15	42	18	16	34	161	200	361	167	199	366	167	199	366
1863	53	51	104	25	20	45	1	1	1	18	23	41	170	206	376	169	204	373	169	204	373
1864	53	59	112	22	32	54	1	...	1	25	19	44	174	209	383	173	207	380	173	207	380
1865	45	57	102	19	27	46	1	...	2	26	25	51	171	211	382	176	212	388	176	212	388
1866	44	65	109	20	46	66	2	2	2	25	20	45	168	204	372	174	215	389	174	215	389
1867	62	65	127	30	31	61	2	...	2	23	20	43	173	218	391	174	208	382	174	208	382
1868	63	72	135	24	39	63	...	4	4	21	15	36	191	227	418	185	227	412	185	227	412
1869	55	103	158	32	39	71	1	...	...	24	31	55	189	253	442	186	238	424	186	238	424
1870	56	73	129	34	41	75	5	5	6	23	17	40	182	262	444	192	264	456	192	264	456
1871	57	73	130	32	33	65	4	6	10	20	31	51	179	261	440	187	265	452	187	265	452
1872	45	76	121	12	38	50	3	7	12	19	20	39	185	266	451	180	271	451	180	271	451
1873	53	86	139	29	43	72	4	17	18	23	25	48	181	266	447	186	277	463	186	277	463
Total.	1128	1430	2558	487	665	1152	66	86	152	56	74	130	447	469	916	3772	4786	8558	3671	4634	8305
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TABLE IV.

Shewing the causes of Deaths during the Year 1873.

CAUSE OF DEATH.							Male.	Female	Total.
<i>Cerebral or Spinal Diseases.</i>									
Apoplexy	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
General Paralysis		...	...	...	...	...	7	2	9
Maniacal or Melancholic Exhaustion				...	...	...	2	3	5
Softening of the Spinal Cord		...		...	...	...	1	...	1
Inflammation and other Diseases of the Brain, Tumour and Softening, &c.							3	6	9
<i>Thoracic Diseases.</i>									
Inflammation of the Lungs, Pleuræ or Bronchi...					...	...	1	1	2
Pulmonary Consumption		...		...	...	...	1	5	6
Disease of the Heart		...	...	...	...	...	2	..	2
<i>Abdominal Diseases.</i>									
Acute Peritonitis		...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Fatty Degeneration of the Kidneys...				...	...	...	...	1	1
Suffocation during an Epileptic Seizure				...	...	...	1	1	2
Carbuncle and Sloughing bed sore				...	...	...	...	1	1
Senile Decay		...	...	...	...	...	4	4	8
Total							23	25	48

TABLE V.

Showing the length of Residence in those Discharged, and in those who have Died during the Year 1873.

LENGTH OF RESIDENCE.				Recovered.			Died.		
				Males.	Female	Total.	Males.	Female	Total.
Under 1 month	...	...	...	...	2	2	1	5	6
From 1 to 3 months	...	...	...	6	9	15	2	1	3
„ 3 „ 6 „	...	...	...	13	13	26	5	5	10
„ 6 „ 9 „	...	...	...	3	6	9	1	...	1
„ 9 „ 12 „	...	...	...	3	5	8	3	...	3
„ 1 „ 2 years	...	...	...	5	8	13	3	1	4
„ 2 „ 5 „	...	...	...	4	7	11	5	4	9
„ 5 „ 8 „	...	...	...	2	1	3	1	4	5
„ 8 „ 10 „	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...
„ 10 „ 15 „	...	...	...	1	3	4	2	1	3
„ 15 „ 20 „	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	1	3
„ 20 „ 30 „	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...
„ 30 „ 40 „	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	1	1
TOTAL	...	...	...	37	58	95	25	23	48

TABLE VI.

Showing the duration of the Disorder on Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths, during the Year 1873.

CLASS.	Duration of Disease on Admission in Four Classes.											
	The Admissions			The Discharges.						The Deaths.		
				Recovered.			Removed, Relieved, or otherwise.					
							Male.	Female.	Total.			
Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	
FIRST CLASS—												
First attack, and within three months on admission	28	51	79	15	28	43	1	9	10	13	9	22
SECOND CLASS—												
First attack, above three and within twelve months on admission	8	12	20	4	6	10	..	3	3	1	7	8
THIRD CLASS—												
Not first attack, and within 12 months on admission	7	15	22	7	6	13	1	...	1	...	4	4
FOURTH CLASS—												
First attack or not, but of more than 12 months on admission .	5	4	9	1	1	2	1	3	4	3	3	6
Not ascertained	5	4	9	2	2	4	2	3	5	6	2	8
TOTAL.....	53	86	139	29	43	72	5	18	23	32	25	48

TABLE VII.

Showing the Ages of the Admissions, Discharges and Deaths, during the 12 months, ending 31st December, 1873.

AGES.						The Admissions			The Discharges.						The Deaths.		
									Recovered.			Removed, Relieved or otherwise.					
						Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
From 10 to 15 years	...	...	...	3	3	...	2	2	...	1	1	...	...	...			
„ 15 „ 20 „	...	...	6	6	12	3	5	8	1	3	4	...	1	1			
„ 20 „ 30 „	..	..	10	16	26	7	11	18	1	2	3	2	1	3			
„ 30 „ 40 „	...	...	8	14	22	6	4	10	1	3	4	2	3	5			
„ 40 „ 50 „	...	...	7	19	26	4	10	14	...	8	8	7	6	13			
„ 50 „ 60 „	.	...	6	8	14	2	4	6	2	1	3	2	1	3			
„ 60 „ 70 „	...	...	10	13	23	4	5	9	...	...	...	3	8	11			
„ 70 „ 80 „	...	...	6	6	12	3	2	5	...	...	...	5	5	10			
„ 80 „ 90 „	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	..	...	...	...	1	...	1			
Not ascertained	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1			
TOTAL	...	...	53	86	139	29	43	72	5	18	23	23	25	48			

TABLE VIII.

Condition as to Marriage, in the Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths, during the 12 months ending 31st December, 1873.

Condition in Reference to Marriage.	The Admissions			The Discharges.						The Deaths.		
				Recovered.			Removed Relieved or otherwise.					
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Single	17	31	48	10	22	32	3	13	16	5	11	16
Married	28	42	70	15	14	29	1	3	4	13	12	25
Widowed	7	13	20	4	7	11	...	2	2	5	2	7
Not ascertained	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
TOTAL	53	86	139	29	43	72	5	18	23	23	25	43

TABLE IX.

Showing the probable causes, Apparent or Assigned of the Disorders in the Admissions, Discharges and Deaths during the year.

CAUSES.	The Admissions			The Discharges.						The Deaths.		
				Recovered.			Removed, Relieved, or otherwise.					
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
MORAL.												
Religious excitement	3	2	5	3	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...
Domestic troubles	1	9	10	1	3	4	...	...	...	1	...	1
Death of Husband	...	3	3	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	..
,, Wife	2	...	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
,, Mother, Father	...	1	1	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
,, Son	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Poverty	2	6	8	2	4	6	1	..	1	...	...	...
Pecuniary Loss	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Embarrassed circumstances	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Overwork and Anxiety	2	1	3	2	...	2	..	...	...	2	...	2
Disappointed affections	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	..
Labourers Union Agitation	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dissolute habits	...	1	1	1	2	3	...	...	...	...	2	2
Remorse	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
PHYSICIAL.												
Disease of the Brain	4	5	9	1	...	1	...	...	...	6	7	13
Epilepsy	2	3	5	...	1	1	1	1	2	...	...	...
Puerperal	..	5	5	...	3	3	...	2	2	1	2	3
Intemperance	4	1	5	3	...	3	1	...	1	5	...	5
Impaired health	3	8	11	2	6	8	..	1	1	...	2	2
Climacteric	...	4	4	...	2	2	...	1	1	..	3	3
Senile decay	2	4	6	...	1	1	...	...	...	3	3	6
Amenorrhœa	...	4	4	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	..
Injury to head	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hereditary	6	12	18	2	4	6	...	1	1	..	...	...
Congenital	2	1	3	...	1	1	2	4	6	2	...	2
Sun Stroke	1	...	1	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	..
Unknown	11	15	26	7	13	20	...	5	5	2	6	8
TOTALS	53	86	139	29	43	72	5	18	23	23	25	48

TABLE X
DIETARY FOR PATIENTS.

		BREAKFAST.										DINNER.										SUPPER.									
DAYS OR THE WEEK.	MALES.		FEMALES.		MALES.						FEMALES.				MALES.				FEMALES.												
	Bread.	Milk Broth*	Bread.	Butter.	Tea†	Cooked Meat‡	Meat Pie§	Meat Dumpling||	Vegetables¶	Bread	Beer	Cooked Meat	Meat Pie	Meat Dumpling	Vegetables	Bread	Beer	Bread	Butter	Tea	Meat Broth	Bread	Butter	Tea							
SUNDAY.....	6	1½	5	½	¾	*4	...	...	12	2	½	4	...	...	12	2	½	6	½	1	...	5	½	¾							
MONDAY.....	6	1½	5	½	¾	...	10½	...	12	...	½	...	10½	...	12	...	½	6	½	1	...	5	½	¾							
TUESDAY.....	6	1½	5	½	¾	4	...	...	12	2	½	4	...	...	12	2	½	6	½	1	...	5	½	¾							
WEDNESDAY.	6	1½	5	½	¾	...	...	10½	12	...	½	...	...	10½	12	...	½	6	½	1	...	5	½	¾							
THURSDAY...	6	1½	5	½	¾	4	...	...	12	2	½	4	...	...	12	2	½	6	...	...	1	1	5	½	¾						
FRIDAY.....	6	1½	5	½	¾	...	10½	...	12	...	½	...	10½	...	12	...	½	6	½	1	...	5	½	¾							
SATURDAY...	6	1½	5	½	¾	...	...	10½	12	...	½	...	...	10½	12	...	½	6	...	...	1	5	½	¾							

* The Milk Broth is made from ¾ pint of New Milk, thickened with Oatmeal, to which ¼ pint of water is added.
† 1 oz. of Tea, 4 oz. of Sugar, ¾ pint of Milk—to 5½ pints.
‡ The Cooked Meat is without Bone, consists of Mutton or Beef, Roast or Boiled.
§ Meat Pie is made of 2½ oz. of Meat to 8 oz. of Crust.
|| Meat Dumpling, 2½ oz. of Meat to 8 oz. of Crust.
¶ 12 oz. of Potatoes, or if other Vegetables, at least 6 oz. of Potatoes.
EXTRA DIET.—For Out-door Workers, Artizans, Laundry Women, &c., half-pint of Beer, with Bread and Cheese, at Eleven o'clock a.m., and Four o'clock p.m.

* Australian Meat given on Sundays.

NORFOLK COUNTY ASYLUM.

AVERAGE WEEKLY COST OF MAINTENANCE, MEDICINE, CLOTHING, AND
CARE OF PATIENTS, DURING THE YEAR, ENDING DEC. 31st, 1873.

					s.	d.
Provisions	...	...	...	...	5	8 $\frac{3}{4}$
Clothing	...	...	...	...	0	9 $\frac{3}{4}$
Salaries and Wages	...	...	...	...	1	7 $\frac{3}{4}$
Necessaries (e. g.) fuel, light, washing, &c.			...	...	1	1
Surgery and Dispensary		...	...	...	0	0 $\frac{3}{4}$
Wine, Spirits and Porter		...	...	...	0	1
Furniture and Bedding		...	...	...	0	2 $\frac{1}{2}$
Garden and Farm included amongst Provisions			...	...	„	„
Miscellaneous, viz :—Clothing to Male and Female Attendants, Music, Printing, Books and Stationery, Postage of Letters, and Carriage of Parcels, Funeral Expenses, &c.					0	4 $\frac{1}{4}$
					9	11 $\frac{3}{4}$
Less monies received for Articles, Goods, and Produce sold (exclusive of those consumed in the Asylum)	...	...	...	...	0	2 $\frac{3}{4}$
Total Average Weekly Cost per head					9	9
Weekly Charge for Paupers from Counties or Boroughs to which Asylum belongs					9	1 $\frac{1}{2}$
Ditto from other Counties or Boroughs		...		...	14	0

Average number resident during the year, 463.

FARM AND GARDEN ACCOUNT.

FROM 1ST JANUARY, 1873, TO 1ST JANUARY, 1874.

RECEIPTS.				EXPENDITURE.			
1873		£	s. d.	1873		£	s. d.
Jan. 1.	Balance in hand ...	359	17 11	Jan. 1.	Pigs purchased during the		
Dec. 31.	By Sale of Pork ...	63	18 0		year ...	124	13 6
	„ Do. Bones ...	12	5 0		Provender ...	162	14 11
	„ Do. Mangels, and do.,				Seeds ...	21	6 2
	Seed, &c. ...	1	15 10		Manure ...	8	17 0
	„ Do. Horse Radish ...	0	15 0		Labour ...	93	2 0
	„ Do. Old Hens ...	1	10 6		Rates and Tithes ...	26	3 6
	„ Do. Wheat ...	32	14 0		Shoeing, &c. ...	4	13 3
	„ Do. Barley ...	29	14 9		Farm Implements & Black-		
	Treasurer for Pork ...	198	12 9		smith's Work, &c. ...	10	2 6
	Do. „ Eggs ...	14	7 1		Harness and Repairs to do. ...	3	11 5
	Do. „ Vegetables ...	250	15 5		Asylum Treasurer for Swill		
					and Bones from House...	24	5 0
					Do., for Rent of Land, 27		
					acres at 35s. ...	47	5 0
					To Paid Asylum Treasurer ...	100	0 0
				Dec. 31	Balance in hand ..	339	12 0
		£966	6 3			£966	6 3

FARM ACCOUNT ON ESTIMATE.

1874		£	s. d.	1873		£	s. d.
Jan. 1.	Balance on Cash Account			Jan. 1.	Value of Live Stock ...	181	8 0
	during the year, deduct-			„ 31.	Balance in favour of Farm	163	16 1
	ing balance in hand, 1st						
	Jan., 1873 ...	79	14 1				
	Value of Live Stock ...	177	10 0				
	Extra labour for other						
	purposes by Horses &						
	Man ...	88	0 0				
		£345	4 1			£345	4 1

WILLIAM M. GIRLING,

CLERK AND STEWARD.

NORFOLK COUNTY ASYLUM.

DAILY AVERAGE OF PATIENTS EMPLOYED DURING EACH MONTH.

1873.

MALES.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apl.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Garden and Pleasure Grounds ...		16	17	16	24	22	22	21	18	18	22	24	23
North Farm ...		16	16	17	17	15	15	15	13	16	17	14	13
Turner's, Painter's, & Carpenter's shop		6	6	6	5	6	6	5	3	5	5	5	4
In Smith's Shop ...		2	2	2	2	2	1	1	2	2	2	2	2
Tailor's and Upholsterer's Shop ...		5	5	6	6	6	5	6	6	5	4	3	3
Shoemaker's Shop ...		6	7	8	6	7	6	6	6	6	7	7	7
Kitchen ...		11	10	10	11	10	10	11	12	12	12	12	11
Helpers in the Wards ...		24	24	24	24	24	24	24	24	24	24	24	24
In Stable ...		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total number employed...		87	88	90	96	93	90	90	85	89	94	92	88
Average number of Patients ..		185	185	183	187	188	188	187	186	185	182	180	180
FEMALES.													
Laundry ...		29	28	28	29	28	29	28	28	29	29	29	29
Kitchen ...		7	7	7	7	7	7	7	8	8	7	7	8
Helpers in the Wards ...		23	23	24	22	21	22	21	21	21	22	21	21
Cleaners in the Corridors and other places ...		32	31	31	32	30	29	30	30	31	33	33	31
Work Room	Needle Work ...	70	70	70	69	68	67	69	69	72	72	72	70
	Fancy Work ...	8	9	10	8	7	7	9	9	8	9	9	10
	Straw Bonnet Making ...	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1
Stocking Knitting ...		9	8	7	6	6	5	5	7	7	7	6	6
Counterpane Knitting ...		2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2
In the Establishment ...		2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	2
Total number employed		183	181	181	177	171	170	174	176	180	183	181	180
Average number of Patients ...		273	275	277	277	276	283	280	274	277	274	269	268

NORFOLK COUNTY ASYLUM.

CONTRACT PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF CONSUMPTION.

1873.

				Quarter ending March.	Quarter ending June.	Quarter ending September.	Quarter ending December.
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Bread	per score loaves of 2lbs each.			0 4 8	0 5 0	0 4 11	0 4 11
Flour	...	...	per sack	1 19 9	2 1 0	2 0 9	2 0 9
Meat	...	...	per stone	0 8 5	0 9 3	0 9 7	0 9 5
Suet	...	...	per stone	0 8 5	0 9 3	0 9 7	0 9 5
Cheese, Gloucester	...	...	per cwt.	3 9 0	3 17 0	3 14 0	3 5 0
Cheese, Derby	...	...	per cwt.	3 9 0	3 17 0	3 14 0	3 5 0
Butter	...	...	per lb.	0 1 2 $\frac{1}{4}$	0 1 1 $\frac{1}{2}$	0 1 1 $\frac{1}{4}$	0 1 2 $\frac{1}{2}$
Oatmeal	...	...	per peck	0 2 0	0 2 8	0 2 8	0 2 8
Rice	...	...	per lb.	0 0 3	0 0 1 $\frac{1}{2}$	0 0 1 $\frac{1}{2}$	0 0 1 $\frac{1}{2}$
Tea, black	...	...	per lb.	0 1 10	0 1 10	0 1 10	0 1 10
Sugar, raw	...	...	per stone	0 3 6	0 3 7	0 3 5	0 3 3
Sugar, loaf	...	...	per stone	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 4 11
Coffee	...	...	per lb.	0 1 0	0 1 2	0 1 2	0 1 8
Milk	...	...	per gallon	0 0 9	0 0 11	0 0 11	0 0 11
Beer	...	...	per barrel	0 18 6	0 19 0	1 0 0	1 1 0
Porter	...	...	per barrel	2 7 0	2 7 0	2 7 0	2 7 6
Arrowroot	...	...	per lb.	0 1 4	0 0 10	0 0 10	0 0 10
Pepper	...	...	per lb.	0 0 8	0 0 7 $\frac{1}{2}$	0 0 8 $\frac{1}{2}$	0 0 7 $\frac{1}{2}$
Mustard	...	...	per lb.	0 0 9	0 0 9	0 1 2	0 1 2
Tobacco	...	...	per lb.	0 3 6	0 3 6	0 3 6	0 3 6
Snuff, Scotch	...	...	per lb.	0 5 6	0 5 6	0 5 6	0 5 6
Coals, House	...	...	per ton	1 10 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0
Coals, Steam	...	...	per ton	1 5 0	1 6 0	1 6 0	1 6 0
Coke	...	...	per chaldron	0 17 6	0 16 0	0 16 0	0 19 0
Candles	...	...	per lb.	0 5 3	0 5 0	0 5 1 $\frac{1}{2}$	0 5 0
Soap, yellow	...	...	per cwt.	1 14 0	1 11 9	1 11 9	1 10 9
Soda	...	...	per cwt.	0 7 3	0 7 0	0 6 6	0 6 3
Starch	...	...	per lb.	0 0 4	0 0 4	0 0 4	0 0 4

NORFOLK COUNTY ASYLUM.

ARTICLES MADE AND REPAIRED BY THE TRADESMEN AND PATIENTS,
DURING THE YEAR, 1873.

SHOEMAKERS.

LIST OF NEW WORK.

106 Pairs of Men's Leather Boots
102 Pairs of Women's Leather Boots
2 Pairs of Men's Leather Shoes
3 Pairs of Women's Leather Shoes
1 Pair of Men's Duffel Boots
18 Pairs of Women's Duffel Boots
10 Pairs of Women's Duffel Shoes
4 Pairs of Men's Canvas Boots

LIST OF REPAIRS.

64 Pairs of Boots & Shoes, soled, heeled and welted
25 Pairs of Boots & Shoes, soled and welted
332 Pairs of Boots & Shoes, soled and heeled
127 Pairs of Boots & Shoes, soled
294 Pairs of Boots & Shoes, heeled
356 Pairs of Boots & Shoes, repaired

TAILORS.

LIST OF NEW WORK.

115 Jackets
115 Waistcoats
151 Pairs Trousers
6 Frocks
8 Aprons
2 Waterproof Pillows
19 Waterproof Beds & Sheets
1 Strong Quilt
3 Mattresses

LIST OF REPAIRS.

573 Jackets
326 Waistcoats
836 Pairs Trousers
40 Frocks
30 Mattresses re-made
46 Mats (bound)
5 Canvas boots (bound)

ARTICLES MADE.

FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT,
1873.

213	Shirts
32	Flannel ditto
4	Flannel Drawers
10	Calico ditto
542	Dresses
4	Night Gowns
102	Petticoats
34	Flannel ditto
402	Chemises
45	Flannel ditto
35	Pairs of Stays
347	Day Caps
15	Night ditto
503	Aprons
766	Handkerchiefs
247	Bonnets
60	Counterpanes
190	Pillow Cases
322	Sheets
100	Blankets
204	Towels
109	Bathing ditto
24	Dry Wipers
127	Tea Cloths
48	Table ditto
40	Pudding Cloths
180	Muslin Blinds
40	Rolling ditto
40	Valences
50	Comb Bags
12	Cushion Covers
34	Pairs of Stockings Knitted
26	Toilet Covers
100	Pillows
50	Beds
4	Boxes Covered
104	Dusters
2	Crumb Cloths
9	Pairs of Curtains
140	Carpets
6	Antimacassars
3	Yards Knitted Lace
1	Shrouds
1	Lamp Bags
1	Table Cloths
1	Table Cloths

REPAIRS.

54	Bath Towels
1009	Sheets
290	Blankets
404	Towels
705	Pillow Cases
520	Counterpanes
244	Dresses
2876	Chemises
975	Flannel ditto
1675	Petticoats
582	Flannel ditto
822	Stays
15514	Stockings
2305	Shirts
170	Flannel ditto
42	Flannel Drawers
194	Beds
28	Pillow Ticks
154	Table Cloths

LIST OF WORK FOR THE BAZAAR.

49	Strips of Embroidery
220	Yards of Crochet Edging
3	Wool Comforters Knitted
11	Pinafores
2	Toilet Pin Cushions
46	Pairs of Wool Cuffs Knitted
11	Braided Bibs
1	Bunch of Wool Flowers
28	Balls Knitted
16	Watch Bags
2	Stockings Knitted
2	Kettle Holders
1	Braided Toilet Set
5	Antimacassars
1	Crochet Vest
6	Pairs of Slippers Crochet
7	Ditto, Worked
7	Wool Lamp Mats
29	Pairs of Garters
16	Pen Wipers
3	Hearth Rugs Made
4	Sofa Cushions
1	Knitted Counterpane
2	Worked Needle Books
3	Handkerchief Bags
3	Night Dress ditto
14	Dolls Dressed
20	Handkerchiefs Crochet

THE ACCOUNTS OF THE TREASURER

OF THE

Norfolk Lunatic Asylum,

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31. 1873,

PRESENTED AT THE

GENERAL QUARTER SESSION,

APRIL, 1874.

BY THE COMMITTEE OF VISITORS.

NORWICH:—

SAMUEL DAYNES, PRINTER AND BOOKBINDER, SAINT STEPHEN'S STREET.

THE COMMITTEE OF VISITORS

OF

The Norfolk Lunatic Asylum,

APPOINTED AT

THE EPIPHANY QUARTER SESSION, 1874.

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NORFOLK LUNATIC ASYLUM.

THE ESTABLISHMENT.

CHRISTMAS, 1873.

OFFICERS.

DR. W. C. HILLS, Resident Medical Superintendent.

DR. JAMES SHAW, Assistant Resident Medical Officer.

MR. G. W. W. FIRTH, Honorary Visiting Medical Officer.

REV. CHARLES WHITTLE, Chaplain.

MR. R. W. HODDY, Examiner of Accounts.

MR. W. M. GIRLING, Clerk and Steward.

MRS. MARGARET OSBISTON, House Keeper.

MISS HARRIET WATERS, Head Female Attendant.

MR. JAMES RAMSEY, Head Male Attendant.

MR. FRANCIS JOHN BLAKE, Treasurer and Clerk to the Committee of Visitors.

SERVANTS.

STORE KEEPER.

FOURTEEN MALE ATTENDANTS.

SEVENTEEN FEMALE ATTENDANTS.

TWO LAUNDRESSES.

COOK.

THREE HOUSE SERVANTS.

KITCHEN MAID.

GATE KEEPER.

HOUSE LAD.

THE COMMITTEE OF VISITORS.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

FRANCIS JOHN BLAKE,

TREASURER OF THE COUNTY LUNATIC ASYLUM,

From Christmas 1872, to Christmas, 1873.

DR.	The County of Norfolk, for Criminal and Vagrant Lunatics, from the 22nd December, 1872, to the 21st, of December, 1873.											
							£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	To amount due for the Quarter ended 22nd December, 1872						50	8	0			
	To Lodging, Maintenance, Care, Medicine, Washing, and Clothing of James George, Ellen Brown, Elizabeth Miller, James Farrall, Sophia Holley, George Tudman James Hooper and John Sursfield, 39 weeks each, at 9s. per week, and 13 weeks each, at 9s. 6d. per week.						189	16	0			
										240	4	0
1873,	CONTRA.						CR.					
Feb. 1.	By Cash from County Treasurer			...	...	...	50	8	0			
May 5.	Ditto ditto			...	...	...	46	16	0			
Aug. 2.	Ditto ditto			...	...	...	46	16	0			
Nov. 1.	Ditto ditto			...	...	...	46	16	0			
										190	16	0
	Balance due to the Asylum									£49	8	0

AN ABSTRACT OF THE ACCOUNTS,

WITH

THE COUNTY AND THE GUARDIANS OF THE SEVERAL UNIONS AND
INCORPORATED PARISHES.

The County, The Poor Law Unions, and Incorporated Parishes.	Quarterage falling due 22nd Dec., 1872.			Due from 22nd Dec., 1872, to 21st Dec., 1873.			Received from 22nd Dec., 1872, to 21st Dec., 1873.			Quarterage falling due 21st Dec., 1873.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
The County of Norfolk ...	50	8	0	240	4	0	190	16	0	49	8	0
Aylsham ...	164	7	11	828	11	9	651	19	5	176	12	4
Blofield ...	107	2	0	598	16	7	442	14	10	156	1	9
Depwade ...	206	11	1	1074	11	3	848	12	3	225	19	0
Docking ...	144	10	8	675	12	2	536	0	6	139	11	8
Downham ...	167	19	2	833	6	2	661	15	8	171	10	6
Erpingham ...	184	9	4	902	16	5	722	8	11	180	7	6
Faith's Saint ...	108	5	2	603	2	7	465	17	4	137	5	3
Flegg East and West ...	47	8	0	241	15	0	197	18	3	43	16	9
Forehoe ...	107	16	2	530	7	1	415	0	8	115	6	5
Freebridge Lynn ...	119	14	0	514	4	1	419	11	7	94	12	6
Guiltecross ...	126	2	8	594	14	3	479	19	8	114	14	7
Henstead ..	119	14	0	580	11	8	462	14	7	117	17	1
Loddon and Clavering ...	197	10	7	955	17	4	758	15	5	197	1	11
Mitford and Launditch ...	252	7	3	1202	0	6	963	0	6	239	0	0
Smallburgh ...	112	17	9	518	10	5	413	9	10	105	0	7
Swaffham ...	133	16	11	677	18	11	539	11	8	138	7	3
Thetford ...	79	2	9	354	19	4	274	13	10	80	5	6
Walsingham ...	179	6	6	891	12	1	709	13	11	181	18	2
Wayland ...	111	5	8	515	0	8	406	16	4	108	4	4
Wisbeach ...	92	2	6	457	5	4	358	7	10	98	17	6
King's Lynn ...	6	6	0	30	0	6	23	17	0	6	3	6
TOTAL	2819	4	1	13821	18	1	10943	16	0	2878	2	1

AN ABSTRACT OF THE ACCOUNTS

WITH THE
UNDERMENTIONED UNIONS HAVING PATIENTS, SENT UNDER 16 & 17, VIC.
C. 97, Sec. 68.

	Quarterage falling due 22nd Dec., 1872.	Due from 22nd Dec., 1872, to 21st Dec., 1873.	Received from 22nd Dec., 1872. to 21st Dec., 1873.	Quarterage falling due 21st Dec., 1873.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
DEPWADE UNION.—One Patient not being under proper care and con- trol, sent under the 16 and 17 Vic., c. 97, sec. 68, 40 weeks at 14s. per week.	9 16 0	28 0 0	28 0 0	.....
LODDON AND CLAVERING UNION.— One Patient not being under pro- per care and control, sent under the 16th and 17th Vic., c. 97, sec. 68, 53 weeks at 14s. per week.	9 16 0	46 4 0	37 2 0	9 2 0
MITFORD AND LAUNDITCH UNION.— One Patient not being under pro- per care and control, sent under the 16th and 17th Vic., c. 97 sec. 86, 52 weeks at 14s. per week.	9 16 0	46 4 0	37 2 0	9 2 0
SAINT FAITH'S UNION.—One Patient not being under proper care and control, sent under the 16th and 17th Vic., c. 97, sec. 68, 36 weeks and 2 days, at 14s. per week.	9 16 0	25 8 0	25 8 0	.....
BLOFIELD UNION.—One Patient not being under proper care and con- trol, sent under the 16th and 17th Vic., c. 97, sec. 68, 53 weeks at 14s. per week.	9 16 0	37 2 0	37 2 0	.....
FREEBRIDGE LYNN UNION.—One Patient not being under proper care and control, sent under the 16th and 17th Vic., c. 97, sec 68, 32 weeks & 5 days at 14s. per week.	4 14 0	22 18 0	22 18 0	.....
ERPINGHAM UNION.—One Patient not being under proper care and control, sent under the 16th and 17th Vic., c. 97, sec. 68, 17 weeks 14s. per week.	.....	11 18 0	11 18 0	.....
	53 14 0	217 14 0	199 10 0	18 4 0
Total for Criminal Vagrant, & Pau- per Lunatics	2819 4 1	13821 18 1	10943 16 0	2878 2 1
TOTAL.	2872 18 1	14039 12 1	11143 6 0	2896 6 1

THE COMMITTEE OF VISITORS OF THE LUNATIC ASYLUM,

IN ACCOUNT WITH

THE TREASURER OF THE SAME,

FROM THE 22ND DECEMBER, 1872, TO THE 21ST DECEMBER, 1873.

FOR PAYMENTS ON ACCOUNT OF

MAINTENANCE OF THE ASYLUM.

1873.

Dr.

Balance brought forward ...

£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
...	...	...	1340	17	11 $\frac{1}{4}$

SALARIES.

To paid Dr. W. C. Hills, Resident Medical Superintendent	...	500	0	0	
Assistant Resident Medical Officer	...	100	0	0	
Mr. F. J. Blake, Clerk and Treasurer	...	150	0	0	
Chaplain	...	150	0	0	
Examiner of Accounts	...	12	12	0	
Mr. W. M. Girling, Clerk and Steward of the Asylum	...	130	0	0	
Housekeeper	...	30	0	0	
Servants' Wages	...	947	11	7	
					2020 3 7

FOOD.

Australian Meat	...	233	6	3	
Butchers Meat	...	2430	15	5	
Flour	...	320	11	6	
Bread	...	984	10	9	
Cheese	...	260	1	6	
Tea	...	142	4	10	
Sugar	...	100	6	1	
Coffee	...	18	18	4	
Rice, Tapioca, and Arrowroot	...	31	8	4	
Groats	...	15	13	4	
Milk	...	448	9	6	
Butter	...	519	18	1	
Eggs	...	17	16	0	
Salt	...	3	17	6	
Sundry Articles of Grocery	...	63	5	1 $\frac{3}{4}$	
Pork, and Sundry Articles of Food	...	215	14	0	
The House Steward, on account of Vegetables consumed in the house	...	238	16	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	
Potatoes	...	85	3	0	
					6130 16 2 $\frac{1}{4}$
Carried forward					9491 17 8 $\frac{1}{2}$

PAID FOR GENERAL MAINTENANCE OF THE ASYLUM.—*continued.*

1873.			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
			Brought forward			9491	17	8½
SPIRITS, &c.								
To paid Wine and Spirits	...	...	28	13	6			
Beer	...	...	553	12	8			
Porter	...	...	68	12	0			
Tobacco and Snuff	...	...	61	3	6			
						712	1	8
FIRING, &c.								
Gas ...	...	...	222	9	8			
Coals	...	...	346	14	0			
Steam ditto	...	...	406	6	0			
Coke	...	...	215	13	0			
Soap	...	...	99	5	3			
Candles	...	...	4	19	9			
Soda	...	...	26	19	3½			
Faggot Wood	...	...	9	9	7			
						1331	16	6½
Drugs	...	...				87	5	10
BEDDING, CLOTHING, &c.								
Men's Suits	...	...	73	12	8			
Shoes, Leather, &c.	...	...	175	8	5			
Yarn, Knitting Cotton, &c.	...	...	11	13	1½			
Sheeting, &c.	...	...	126	8	3½			
Calico, Hessian and Drill	...	...	107	13	7			
Tapes, Thread, &c.	...	...	114	16	4½			
Jean	...	...	18	19	2			
Women's Bonnets	...	...	18	3	7½			
Tailors	...	...	146	1	2			
Shoemakers	...	...	43	0	11			
Alpaca, Stuff, Prints, &c., for Women's Dresses	...	...	134	14	6½			
Flannel, Serge, &c.	...	...	22	17	0			
Shirting	...	...	29	19	2½			
Women's Shawls and Handkerchiefs	...	...	35	12	0			
Stockings, Cotton and Worstead	...	...	31	19	0			
Men's Caps	...	...	28	7	9			
						1119	6	10
Printing, Books and Stationery	...	...				78	4	4
FURNISHING, &c.								
Brushes and Brooms	...	...	31	11	3			
Cleaning Chimneys	...	...	6	5	0			
Dwiling	...	...	49	12	0			
						87	8	3
			Carried forward			£12908	1	2

PAID FOR GENERAL MAINTENANCE OF THE ASYLUM.—*continued.*

1873.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward				12908	1	2

FUNERAL EXPENSES.

To paid Shrouds and Burial Fees	...	...	8	16	3
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SUNDRIES.

Retaking Escaped Patients	...	...	3	12	0
Male Attendants' Suits and Caps	...	...	94	6	9
Female Attendants' Dresses, Boots, &c.	...	...	66	8	7
Straw	..	..	49	11	6
Postage of Letters, Carriage of Parcels, Receipt and Draft Stamps	...	...	22	8	0
Brazier's Work	...	...	2	15	10
Two Firemen and Stoker	...	...	105	12	1
Medical Certificates for Patients out on Probation	...	...	11	11	0
Petty Disbursements	...	...	15	14	5½
Harvest Treat to Patients	...	...	17	2	0
Ground Rent of Pipes laid across Thorpe Common	...	...	2	0	0
A Year's Subscription to Norfolk and Norwich Hospital	...	...	2	2	0
Income Tax	...	...	0	10	0
A Year's playing the Harmonium	...	...	8	0	0
Surplice for the Chaplain	...	...	1	15	0
Expenses incurred in removing 15 Female Patients to Northampton Asylum	...	...	14	14	0
Maintenance &c., of 15 Female Patients in Northampton Asylum, 24 weeks each	...	...	253	10	0
Allowance to Patients on Probation	...	...	0	10	0
			672	3	2½
			£13589	0	7½

CONTRA.

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1873.

		£	s.	d.
By Amount received for Criminal and Vagrant Lunatics	...	...	190	16 0
Ditto for Pauper Lunatics		...	10753	0 0
Ditto for Union Lunatics, at page 7	... ..	...	199	10 0
„ House Steward, from Sale of Rags, &c.	... ..	...	8	15 6
„ Dr. Hills, Resident Medical Superintendent, a year's Board and Lodgings, &c.	... ..	...	100	0 0
„ Cash in Re-payment of Farm and Garden Account	...	...	171	10 0
„ Norwich Gas Company, Discount	... ..	...	22	0 10
Amount received		...	11445	12 4
To amount paid as at page 10	.. ..	...	13589	0 7 $\frac{1}{2}$
Balance due to the Treasurer		...	2143	8 3 $\frac{1}{4}$
Amount of Quarterage due from the Unions, &c., to the 21st of } December, 1873, as per Abstract, page 7 ... }			2896	6 1
Balance due from the Treasurer			£752	17 9 $\frac{3}{4}$

(ERRORS EXCEPTED.)

F. J. BLAKE,
TREASURER.

February 24th, 1874.

Examined with the Vouchers and found correct.

W. A. GILBERT,
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ACCOUNT
FOR
BUILDINGS, REPAIRS, FURNITURE, FITTINGS,
&c., &c.

THE TREASURER'S ACCOUNT WITH

DR.				BUILDINGS,			
1873.				£	s.	d.	
To Messrs. Barnard, Bishop and Barnards, Ironmongers	..	..	..	56	18	1	
W. Newell, Carpenter and Builder	..	..	..	13	8	2	
Trevor and Page, Upholsterers	..	..	..	58	18	5	
Jas. Lincoln, Carpenter	..	..	..	7	12	8	
George Ling, Glazed Pipes	..	..	..	24	5	0	
M. Shardelow, Plumber, Glazier and Painter	..	..	..	70	16	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	
Thomas Sabberton, Blacksmith	..	..	..	103	12	5	
Thompson and Sons, Braziers	..	..	..	19	8	3	
M. A. Norris, Upholsterer	..	..	..	25	8	11	
T. C. R. King, Glass	..	..	..	21	8	10	
George Pinson, Cocoa-nut Fibre Matting, &c.	..	..	..	34	12	9	
Henry Stevenson, Advertising	..	..	..	11	11	6	
Proprietors of Norwich Mercury	..	..	..	4	2	0	
Do. Norfolk News	..	..	..	4	18	0	
Mail Carriage of Private Letter Bags to and from Norwich	..	..	..	1	1	0	
Postmaster, Subscription for the same for the year	..	..	..	2	2	0	
Poors' Rate, Highway Rate and Gas Rate	..	..	..	3	17	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	
Tithe Rent Charge	..	..	..	5	8	5	
A. Pank, Gas Fitter	..	..	..	16	14	8	
Joseph Stanley, Mason	..	..	..	11	11	0	
R. Green, Clockmaker	..	..	..	1	16	6	
John Overton, Cooper	..	..	..	5	17	6	
Wm. Snelling, Gutta Percha Untensils	..	..	..	4	10	11	
Josiah Wedgewood and Son, Earthenware	..	..	..	25	17	11	
D. Hurn, Cotton Waste, &c.	..	..	..	10	9	4	
Robert R. Ruyp, for Fire Bricks, &c.	..	..	..	4	18	10	
House Steward, Petty Disbursements	..	..	..	19	13	3	
Carriage of Goods, &c.	..	..	..	10	16	10	
Charles Cannell, Engineer	..	..	..	85	16	0	
Norwich Argus, Advertising	..	..	..	0	13	0	
S. Whittaker, Bricks	..	..	..	16	10	6	
S. Starling, Lime and Sand	..	..	..	0	16	3	
J. B. White and Brothers, Cement	..	..	..	30	8	6	
G. L. Coleman, Draper	..	..	..	221	18	2	
Lovick and Co., Earthenware	..	..	..	14	11	3	
The Builder, Advertising	..	..	..	1	0	0	
William Blyth, Whitewashing	..	..	..	96	5	1	
R. Hodds, for Composition, &c.	..	..	..	22	15	6	
C. Macintosh & Co., Urinals	..	..	..	2	8	6	
J. Chapman and Son, Plumbers	..	..	..	61	1	9	
Marking Ink	..	..	..	1	5	8	
Piper and Theobald, Ironmongers	..	..	..	12	18	6	
J. Farman, Baskets	..	..	..	6	10	5	
Bricklayer and Bricklayer's Labourer	..	..	..	120	6	8	
Cubitt and Son, Sperm Oil	..	..	..	6	8	3	
John Calver, for Suction Pipe	..	..	..	2	16	6	
Wm. Smith, Wrappers for Posting 400 Accounts	..	..	..	0	3	0	
Norwich Union Fire Insurances 1873, Less Dividend on premium, £5 16s. 9d.	..	..	..	18	18	9	
Edward Orams, Ironmonger	..	..	..	11	7	0	
Atkinson & Co., Canvas Counterpanes	..	..	..	6	2	6	
J. F. Ranson, Timber Merchant	..	..	..	67	13	2	
Doulton and Co., Glazed Pipes	..	..	..	24	8	8	
Great Eastern Railway Company, for old Rails	..	..	..	11	14	8	
J. Williams and Son, Invalid Chairs	..	..	..	7	5	0	
W. Cousens, Lead &c.	..	..	..	24	11	6	
Sturgess and Towlson, Engineers	..	..	..	225	9	7	
Jas. and Wm. Lincoln, Carpenters	..	..	..	120	10	2	
The Singer Manufacturing Company, for a Machine, &c.	..	..	..	9	4	11	
Manchester Steam Users Association, Subscription	..	..	..	18	18	0	
F. J. Jackson & Co., Advertising	..	..	..	0	19	0	
Clerk of the Works employed in the Erection of New Female Wing, &c.	..	..	..	46	4	0	
Resident Medical Superintendent and County Surveyor, journey and expenses for laying Plan and Specifications before the Commissioners in Lunacy	..	..	..	9	0	0	
Lime & Sand	..	..	..	3	3	5	
Thew and Son, Advertising	..	..	..	0	15	0	
Balance	..	..	..	4	15	3 $\frac{3}{4}$	
				£1897	6	3 $\frac{3}{4}$	

THE COUNTY OF NORFOLK.

REPAIRS, &c.

								Cr.		
								£	s.	d.
1873,										
February	25th	Balance	...	..	...	...	...	20	0	3 $\frac{1}{4}$
May	5.	Cash of the County Treasurer	..	...	...	...	...	400	0	0
Aug.	2.	Ditto ditto	...	...	...	...	...	400	0	0
Nov.	4.	Ditto ditto	...	...	...	...	...	500	0	0
1874.										
Feb.	5.	Ditto ditto	...	...	...	...	...	550	0	0
		Rent of Cottages	...	...	...	...	...	27	6	0

£1897 6 3 $\frac{1}{4}$

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